

Mlle. Lenglen Will Not Make American Debut on the Court in New York Until Tomorrow

Mlle. Lenglen Faces Test in First Match

French Marvel Meets Miss Goss in Opening Round of Women's Title Tennis Tomorrow

The test of tennis as played by our American women will come in the national championships which start today at the West Side Club, Forest Hills, N. Y.

The public will not have long to wait to hear of Mlle. Suzanne's prowess on the American courts, for she faces one of the best of the American women, Miss Goss, who on Saturday reached the final round at Seaside and gave Mrs. Molla Burslett Mallory a thrashing in a battle before she relinquished the title.

Mrs. Mallory Best Bet Interest in the national championships, of course, will center around Mlle. Lenglen and the work of Mrs. Mallory, Mrs. May Sutton Bundy and Miss Mary K. Brown. Mrs. Bundy and Miss Brown have come out of retirement in an effort to keep the American title on this side of the water, but since Saturday she relinquished the title to her inactivity en route.

On form, Mrs. Mallory seems to have the best chances against the French star, but she already has lost before the marvelous game of the queen of the courts in Europe. She has won the American singles championship on five occasions. Mrs. Mallory

ONE RECORD LEFT FOR BABE TO BUST

Clarke's Eight Homers in as Many Times at Bat in One Game the Mark

Why all this ranting about Babe Ruth being the "King of Swat" the Behemoth of the sacred willow, the wrecker of all twirlings? F. J. Clarke, otherwise known as "Big Boy," the old-time catcher of the Pirates and other clubs and manager of one of the famous marine baseball teams during the war, would like to have these questions answered.

Clarke has a reason. He avers that Ruth may hold the world's home-run record, but he also avers that Babe Ruth is not the Babe in the big league today, but when it comes down to holding the laurel for prodigious feats of clutching in a single game, the Babe is beaten to a fare thee well.

Clarke has a wide and varied experience as a major and minor league player. He has been down in the sticks more than once as a ballplayer when he sees them. He has the greatest respect for Ruth and calls him one of the mightiest hitters the game has ever known, but he is not afraid of talking about what Ruth has done in the way of home runs in a single game, Clarke just snickers.

According to the best available records Ruth has not counted more than two homers in any single game. True, in double headers, for a day's work he has counted more than two, but he has never done it in a single game, for as many as three, but outside of that he cannot compare with Clarke.

Clarke's Great Feat The great feat of the former marine occurred in 1902. On July 14 of that year in a regular championship game played between the Yankees and the Arkansas in the old Texas League, Clarke went to bat eight times, and on each occasion knocked out a home run. Eight in one game is a record that probably will stand for all time. The score of the game in which Clarke made his record was 11 to 3 in favor of the Yankees.

The largest score in the major leagues in the last ten years was made by the Athletics when the Mackmen defeated the Tigers some years ago, twenty-one runs to two. It will be remembered that the members of the Detroit team went on a strike that day and the Athletics had to go out and collect an aggregation of amateurs, including his pitching coach and some mid-time stars.

Which goes to prove that large score games are scarce these days and that a batter seldom comes to bat more than six or seven times. Of course if a name went fifteen or more innings and Ruth made a home run every time at bat he would tie or even better the record made by Clarke, but this is well-nigh impossible.

For Ruth to sock out a homer every time at bat for fifteen or more innings would mean that a rival team would have to match the score made by Ruth each time, which is how beyond the realm of the possible as far as the records of the immediate past are concerned.

Fifty-three Safeties Clarke's team in that memorable game banged out fifty-three hits for twenty-six extra runs. The Texas-league team made but five errors, considering the number of balls that were shot at the fielders. Corsicans failed to err once, backing its pitcher in good style.

A peculiar angle to the contest was the fact that the manager of the Texas-league team kept DeWitt on the mound the entire nine innings instead of relieving him. Must have been a scarcity of twirlers in Texas for a manager to do that.

Yankees In Lead Again The Yankees went to the fore in the recent American League pennant race yesterday when the Cleveland Indians fell victims to the leading Yankees, of Chicago. However, the champions, like the Pirates, are setting a fast pace. While the Pirates are having little difficulty in keeping ahead of the Giants, Cleveland has been unable to do so against the Yankees. The loss of catcher Ninnemaker, whose leg was fractured Saturday, may handicap the Indians.

In the National race Pittsburgh, which has taken five consecutive games from Chicago, appears to have a much steadier pitching staff than the New York. Boston's hope of reaching the top is dwindling. With a handicap of eight games to overcome in forty-eight to play the Braves would have to average two victories in three games while the Pirates were breaking even. The play of the Brooklyn club in the West play was a surprise. Dodgers taking three series out of four.

In the American League Cleveland has failed to show the same run-scoring power as New York, although both met the same teams last week. Little difference is seen in a comparison of pitching strength. The home-run hitting combination of Ruth, Baker and Meusel, which had a total of eleven circuit hits last week, has been of great aid to the Yankees.

Five Leading Batsmen in Two Major Leagues

Table with columns: Player, Club, G., AB., R., H., Avg. for National League and American League.

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NAME DATE FOR P. R. R. MEET

Athletic Committee Sets September 24 for Annual Event

The Pennsylvania Railroad System General Athletic Committee has announced that its annual outdoor meet this year will be held at Denison, O., on September 24. There will be events for men and women employees, as well as for sons of employees of the entire system.

Among the men's events will be tennis matches, a tug-of-war, trapshooting, archery, base against time for baseball players, pitching, quoits and horseshoes, swimming races and the usual field events.

The women will take part in tennis and a fifty-yard dash. A feature will be the first of three baseball games for the system championship, between teams chosen by elimination in the several regions.

Bingles and Bungles

Yesterday's Big News—George Whitted's home-run drive in the seventh inning enabled the Pirates to trim the Cubs. It was the score of the day. He also poured water on the only chance that Chicago had to flare up. He doubled, belted a homer and had a double header of second in the eighth.

Urban "Red" Faber, who was knocked out of the box by Cleveland on Friday, came back strong, and allowed the Indians but five runs, incidentally, the deficit dropped the Indians from the between Cleveland and Texas.

To Cobb's eyes are supposed to be on the blink, but the fans out in St. Louis will not believe it. It is reported that T. Raymond did not hit a single home run in a double header with two on in five trips to the batter.

The New York newspapers think a lot of the teams over here in Philly. Take a slant at the head line the "New York Times" when Connie Mack bought a player for the other day: Ball Player Sent to Minors.

At any rate, the A's have found one team that they can't handle. They travel to Allentown to play the semi-pro club close the score was 12 to 0 in favor of the Senators. Jimmy Dykes pitched part of the game.

Catcher Wirtz, of the Chicago Cubs, has been released to the new International Club this afternoon at Reading.

Eddie Konetchy saved the Phils from a shutout by smacking a home run in the ninth inning. He had smacked the double just previous to Koney's heroic smash.

Babe Ruth hit a homer against the Columbus Menties in an exhibition game. He also had a double and two singles, besides fanning twice.

A major league record for 1921 was set by the National League yesterday when four pitchers in the four games played off the eight twirlers. Morrison, of Pittsburgh, pitched the best game, blanking Chicago with three hits.

FEATURE MATCH IN WOMEN'S TENNIS

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Boots and Saddle

Horses which appear best at Saratoga today are: First race, Bahaska, Hickory, Flamingo; second, Doublet, Robert Oliver, W. J. Kelly; third, Knot, Thundercap, Enfield; fourth, Yankee Maid, Bantry Pass, Budana; fifth, Killaht, Sportico, Dartmoor; sixth, Highgate, Santa Clara, Benmorecareful.

At Fort Erie—First race, Playright, Hamorist, Bumpy Bumps; second, Cornoran, Younited, Venessa Walters; third, Sidor, Chief Sponsor, Witch Flower; fourth, Maneuver, Fort Bliss, Missed the Time; fifth, Boniface, King of the South, Cotton Blossom, Brisk, Antilles; seventh, Tricker II, Warlike, Mountain Rose II.

R. T. Wilson, president of the Saratoga Racing Association gave a kind of reunion dinner at the Chester Club, Fund, a combination of New York, Maryland and Kentucky, expected to make for harmony between the racing bodies of the States.

The Phenixville Fair Association closed a successful race meet at Phenixville on Saturday, which began last Tuesday. The meet was well represented by Philadelphia and some good horses were entered. The hot track is in good condition, as shown by the time made, and the plant is very attractive.

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Scraps About Scrapper

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Motorcycle Accident Causes Death Waterloo, N. Y., Aug. 15.—Leroy S. Martin, of Liverpool, a suburb of Syracuse, died in a hospital here yesterday as the result of injuries sustained when his motorcycle left the track during a race started Monday afternoon by the Syracuse Motorcycle Club. Martin was also killed. A fellow rider crashed through a fence, was killed and broken through a house. A fellow rider crowded him, forcing his machine to skid and crash through a house. A fellow rider crowded him, forcing his machine to skid and crash through a house. A fellow rider crowded him, forcing his machine to skid and crash through a house.

Strawbridge Stars

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BIG LEAGUERS IN LINE-UPS

This is an off day in local baseball circles, neither the Phils nor A's being scheduled home, but instead the fans can witness a twin bill between three local teams at Shibe Park, starting at 2 P. M.

The winner will then meet Glenside, 1921 champions of the Suburban League. Wild Bill Donovan has been secured to throw out the first ball. North Philadelphia has many former big leaguers in the line-up.

Among the number are: Mack Wheat, Johnny Castle, Mike Doolan, Bert Yeansley and Ben Gilbert, formerly of the Phils; Jack Barrett, formerly of the Reds; Rapine, Stenton Field Club; Toner and Mahaffey, of Nativity; John McCann, brother of Emmett McCann; Frank Berkey, formerly of the Johnson City, Tennessee League team.

The line-up for the first game follows: B & C. N. PHILA. STARS Doyle, shortstop; Wheat, catcher; Curtis, center field; Yeansley, right field; Swigler, left field; Doolan, shortstop; Hitting, third base; Barrett, second base; Williams, first base; Toner, third base; White, second base; Berkey, first base; Algie, catcher; Mennow, catcher; Gilmore, catcher; Berkey, pitcher; Eronshaw, pitcher; Collins, pitcher.

Glenside in the second game are: Wilcox, second base; Eglyoss, shortstop; Hopkins, catcher; Hallowell, first base; Davis, right field; Gray, center field; Dellis, third base; Refsnyder, left field; Kearney, pitcher; Twining, pitcher.

Negotiates Difficult Swim Boston, Aug. 15.—Another candidate for the long, hard swim across the English Channel, emerged from the ocean at Boston Light yesterday, when Charles Loth, of South Boston, completed the twelve miles from Charlestown Bridge. His time was 3 hours and 37 minutes. He contended with a stiff wind and a choppy sea most of the way.

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What May Happen In Baseball Today

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AMERICAN ASSOCIATION Columbus, 4; Louisville, 2 (first game). Louisville, 2; Columbus, 1 (second game). Toledo, 3; Indianapolis, 3 (second game). St. Paul, 2; Milwaukee, 0 (first game). Milwaukee, 3; St. Paul, 3 (second game). Minneapolis, 1; Kansas City, 4 (1st game). Minneapolis, 0; Kansas City, 7 (2d game).

EASTERN LEAGUE Worcester, 4; Albany, 1 (first game). Albany, 0; Worcester, 3 (second game). Pittsfield, 3; Ware, 2. Other games postponed, rain.

SOUTHERN ASSOCIATION Memphis, 4; Atlanta, 3 (first game). Nashville, 4; Chattanooga, 3 (2d game). New Orleans, 0; Mobile, 0. Other clubs not scheduled.

TODAY'S SCHEDULE NATIONAL LEAGUE Phillies at New York. Other clubs not scheduled. AMERICAN LEAGUE Chicago at Cleveland. Detroit at St. Louis. Only games scheduled.

INTERNATIONAL LEAGUE RESULTS OF YESTERDAY Buffalo, 0; Newark, 0 (first game). Milwaukee, 2; Toronto, 3. Other games postponed, rain. SCHEDULE FOR TODAY Rochester at Reading. Toronto at Baltimore. Buffalo at Newark.

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Many Hurt When Stands Fall Kansas City, Aug. 15.—More than a score of persons were injured, none of them seriously, when a section of seats at the local American Association park fell yesterday during the first game of a doubleheader between Minneapolis and Kansas City. The seats had been erected temporarily to accommodate what officials said was the largest crowd ever attending a game here.

FRIEDMAN NOW IN FISTIC LIMELIGHT

Sailor Earns Prestige in Bouts With Dundee, Tendler, White and Welling

WILL ARRIVE HERE TODAY

By LOUIS H. JAFFE

Sailor Friedman has scurried to the front by his exhibitions in the last season. Although the years, there had been nothing unusual or sensational about his ability—not even enough to get his record in the boxing annual. But it is a cinch the 1922 book will include bouts fought by the Chicagoan.

Since the beginning of the 1920-21 season Friedman has been flailing his fists in real big-league style. He didn't prove a flash in the pan when he made a brilliant battle against Johnny Dundee, but followed up with great matches against Lew Tendler, Charley White and Joe Welling. Meeting such a quartet of stars inside of a few months with no decisive setback ought to qualify any guy among big-league battlers.

Friedman is scheduled to blow in from the Windy City some time today. The sailor wants to prove before he shows here in a return match with Tendler at the Philadelphia Ball Park, on the night of August 24, that he is no bimbo, or anything like that, so he informed the promoters, Herman Taylor and Bobby Ginnis, that he would do his most important training here in Philadelphia.

In Public Worships As Tendler will condition himself for this match at Philadelphia Jack O'Brien, it is probable that the sailor will go to work at Adam Ryan's. Just so long as they don't come in droves Adam doesn't mind a little afternoon audience at his gymnasium, and Friedman may be seen in action at the Ryan studio, Sixth and Vine streets, until the day of the battle.

It will be remembered that Friedman boxed here at the Olympia Club several years ago, meeting Stanley Hinkle, of Gray's Ferry, in one of the preliminaries. In that bout Friedman didn't look so good—not bad, but not good. And no one knew it any better than the sailor, apparently—for immediately after the contest Friedman tacked bag and baggage and hid himself back to Chi.

But there hardly is any doubt now that Friedman has punched his way into the limelight where he looms as a worthy opponent for Champion Leonard, or would be eligible as an entrant in an elimination tournament for the lightweight title, were Benny to vacate the 135-pound division and enter the welterweight field.

A Tough Bird Tendler himself admits that Friedman is a tough bird. "Didn't I ruin both my hands on him?" queried the local southpaw today after his return from Atlantic City, where he vacationed last week. "Punching that guy is like hitting the side of a brick wall. That night I met him in Milwaukee I put both my mitts out of commission and couldn't box again for eight weeks."

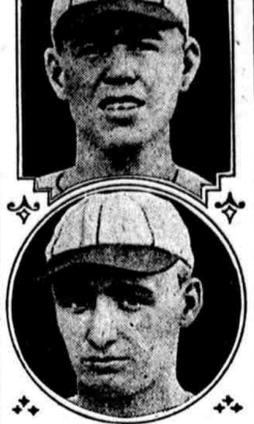
One or two Chicago papers gave Friedman a victory over Tendler in their first meeting and the other critics in that city derided their home-town entry had earned a draw, but all of the Milwaukee journals favored Tendler with a shade decision.

Motor Record-Breaker Killed Toledo, O., Aug. 15.—Less than half an hour after he had broken the world's dirt-track motorcycle record for one mile, covering the distance in 46.4 seconds, Albert W. Burns, twenty-seven, of Oakman, Calif., was fatally injured when in the first lap of a twenty-five mile race at the fair grounds here yesterday a fellow rider crowded him, forcing his machine to skid and crash through a house. Burns was killed and his head was crushed.

PIANOS

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"Big" George Earnshaw (upper), of the Strawbridge & Clothier, will probably pitch this afternoon's game against the North Philadelphia All-Stars at Shibe Park. Nick Carter (lower) is center fielder on the team

FIRST HOME GAME

Marshall E. Smith Will Meet A B C's Tomorrow Evening

The Marshall E. Smith baseball team has secured home grounds and will be seen on an uptown diamond for the balance of the season. The store boys' field is located at Second and Erie avenues and heretofore has been used by the Smith & Furbush.

Games will be played on Tuesday and Friday evenings and Saturday afternoon. The initial contest tomorrow evening will feature the A B C's, of Indianapolis, a member of the National Colored Baseball League.

This club has twice defeated Hilldale and Bacharach Giants and this is its first game in this city, with the exception of the game played with Hilldale. Johnson or Mahoney will pitch for the colored stars, with Powell behind the plate, while Pete Liebert will pitch for the Smith team, with McConnell catching.

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